

Dear Sirs,

I was horrified and disappointed to read that you would take no action to stop Sinclair Broadcasting from abusing the public trust and misusing the public airwaves by insisting that 26 stations air anti-Kerry propaganda right before the election. That's not a news program, it's a campaign piece. I don't care that there's no precedent--make a precedent. This is outrageous.

You're supposed to provide oversight and protect the public interest, but instead you've turned over control of information to interests controlled by market concerns and, in an increasing number of instances, aimed to control the flow of information to the people. We are not being served by our media, and that's in large part because you are not acting to make sure that the use of our airwaves is of benefit to us. Sinclair's actions are an assault on the very concepts of a fair election. It's shameful you can see no way to serve the public's best interest in this case. Shame on you.